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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of	Breslin et al.	)	
		)	Art Unit: 1746
		)	
Serial No.:	10/625,348	)	Examiner: Carrillo, Bibi Sharidan
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Filed:	July 23, 2003	)	Customer No.: 24024
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

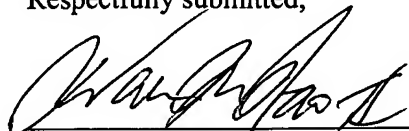
Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of the statutory period for responding to the Office Action. The shortened period for response expired March 8, 2005, accordingly Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the deposit account number 03-0172 for the \$60.00 fee for payment of the one-month extension of time. The extended due date for this response therefore is April 8, 2005. It is believed that there is no additional fee associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment, however, **should the Commissioner decide that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to deposit account number 03-0172.**

Respectfully submitted,

Date 4/8/05

  
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